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DATA SHEET

CONTAINER

Type: Box
UN Code: 4C1

Nomenclature: Box, Ammunition, Packing: Wood, Nailed

Specification Number: Type II, Class 2, Grade A, Mil-B-2427

Drawing Number: N/A

Material: Wood Gross Weight: 70

Outside Dimensions: $125/8 \times 15 \times 121/4$ Inside Dimensions: $91/2 \times 131/4 \times 93/4$

PRODUCT

Name: Cap, Blasting, Non-Electric: M7

Drawing Number: 8830948

Specification Number: Mil-C-45469

United Nations Number: 0029

Physical State: Solid

Amount per Container: 480

2. BACKGROUND, TESTS, AND RESULTS Reference the following document:

a. 49CFR, October 1, 1991 Edition

Instead of testing with the actual item, three wooden boxes built to the same specification but packed with a fiberboard box loaded with sand to a gross weight of 70 pounds were tested.

A Stacking Test was conducted on one container with z weight of 910 pounds for 72 hours in lieu of three containers for 24 hours. This weight exceeds the minimum requirement for a 10 foot stack height which is 686 pounds.

A Loose Cargo Test was conducted on three containers for one hour. The packages were tested at a vibration table frequency such that the bottom of the packages were raised 1/4 inch from the platform, which exceeds the requirement of 1/16 inch.

A Four Foot Drop Test was conducted on one of the containers that was subjected to the Loose Cargo Test. One container was dropped five times at different orientations as follows: top, bottom, long side, short side, and a top corner at the closure. This exceeds the requirement of one drop per container.

Test results indicated no leakage or spillage of the contents from the containers following any of the tests conducted, meeting the requirements of the 49 CFR.